GLOBAL DEGREE SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME

SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME FOR EXCELLENT DOUBLE DEGREE INCOMING STUDENTS

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Deadline: 8th July 2024
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Art. 1 - General information

1.1. Aim of the call

The University of Padua, as part of its internationalisation strategy, promotes the development and implementation of international double degree programmes with partner universities across the globe.

Through the “Global Degree Scholarship Scheme”, the University of Padua offers 10 scholarships to highly talented incoming students participating in double degree programmes developed by the University of Padua together with its international (non-EU) partners.

1.2. Eligible programmes

This call is open to students enrolled in the following double degree programmes:

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<th>Programme</th>
<th>Partner university/ies</th>
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<td>Transfor-M (Forest Sciences)</td>
<td>• Lakehead University (Canada)</td>
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<td>• University of Alberta (Canada),</td>
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<td>• The University of British Columbia (Canada)</td>
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<td>ALGANT - Algebra, Geometry and Number Theory</td>
<td>• Concordia University</td>
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<td>• Stellenbosch University (South Africa)</td>
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<td>Environmental Engineering</td>
<td>Tsinghua University (China)</td>
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<td>T.I.M.E. Top Industrial Managers for Europe</td>
<td>Yokohama National University (Japan)</td>
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<td>Maritime archaeological heritage</td>
<td>University of Haifa (Israel)</td>
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<td>Crop and Soil</td>
<td>University of Georgia (USA)</td>
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<td>Telecommunication Engineering</td>
<td>National Taiwan University (Taiwan)</td>
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Double degree programmes benefitting of Erasmus+ programme funding (e.g. Erasmus Mundus or Erasmus+ KA171) are not eligible for the purposes of this call.

Active double degree programmes with partner institutions from Erasmus+ Programme Countries¹ are not eligible for the purpose of this call.

¹ 27 European countries, EFTA/SEE countries and associated countries that participate in the Erasmus Programme such as: North Macedonia, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Serbia, Turkey
Art. 2 - Admission Requirements

To be eligible for the programme, students must:
- be regularly enrolled at their home University
- have been selected for one of the eligible double degree programmes (see table above) and for spending at least one semester at the University of Padua
- have obtained a high score from their home institution during the selection process. In the event of a draw, candidates with fewer opportunities will be favoured.
- not benefit from an Erasmus+ scholarship or other scholarshi/grants for study abroad.

All the students fulfilling the above-mentioned requirements are automatically admitted to selection. No separate application form is needed in addition to those required for applying for the double degree programme.

Art. 3 - Nomination and selection of students

Students will be selected by their home university. Each university will be asked to provide the names of the three best students in each ranking of their double-degree programme. The list of students shall be sent via email to mobility-in@unipd.it by 8th July 2024.

Scholarships will be awarded based on the partners’ selection. Candidates with fewer opportunities will be given priority.

At least one scholarship per programme will be awarded. Further scholarships may be awarded in equal proportions on the basis of the rankings provided by the partners.

Art. 4 - Awarding and acceptance

Selected students will be contacted by email and offered the scholarship. Students can withdraw from their mobility or just decline the scholarship offer. In case of withdrawal, the scholarship will be offered to the next student in the ranking list provided by the partners.

Art. 5 - Scholarships and payments

Selected students will receive a gross amount of 500 euro per month for a maximum of 10 months. This amount may be integrated with an additional scholarship offered by some Departments of the University of Padua.

Students will receive the semester scholarship (5 months) after the beginning of each semester. If, at the end of the academic year, the student has not obtained at least 60% of the number of credits foreseen by the programme (final examination excluded) or the overall performance is not positively evaluated by the Programme coordinator of the University of Padua, the scholarship will have to be returned in full or in part for the semester of negative
performance. In the event that the first semester is evaluated negatively, in addition to the return of the scholarship already awarded, payments for the second semester will be suspended.

Payments will be made only to Italian or European bank accounts. As the scholarship is not tax free, students will be asked to fill in some forms in this respect and will have to comply with the Italian taxation law, which will result in a reduction of the financed amount according to the beneficiary's income.

Art. 9 - Deadline

8th July 2024 Submission of nominations by partner institutions

Art. 10 - Contact details

This call is managed by the Projects and Mobility Office- Mobility Unit
Via Lungargine del Piovego 1 - 35129 Padova
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Telegram: https://t.me/internationalmobilityUNIPD

Art. 11 - Information on the processing of personal data

Personal data shall be processed in compliance with the principles and provisions of EU Regulation 2016/679 (General Data Protection Regulation) and for the sole purposes of competition procedure. For detailed information: http://www.unipd.it/privacy. The Administration reserves the right to check the truthfulness of the admission and incompatibility requirements. Without prejudice to the criminal sanctions provided for in art. 76 of Italian Presidential Decree DPR no. 445/2000, should checks prove statements to be false, the scholarship recipient shall lose the benefit eligibility.
Art. 12 - Final Provisions

The person responsible for the procedure is Dr Alessandra Gallerano, Head of the Projects and Mobility Office. For further information please email mobility.in@unipd.it

Padova, date of the registration

The Rector
Prof.ssa Daniela Mapelli
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